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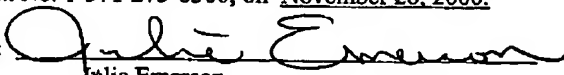
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This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated **September 21, 2006**.

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Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3.

Amendments to the drawings begin on page 9.

The remarks begin on page 10.